WASHINGTON.

The President Makes a Sudden Appearance at the Capital.

He is Interested in Illinois Politics, and will make a Trip to Chicago.

Pleasonton to be Forced out of Boutwell's Way.

Strong Probabilities of the Early Retirement of Mr. Fish.

(Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 1.—The President arrived at the White House this morning quite unexpectedly, and left for Long Branch again this evening. The fact of his coming was kept quite secret, in order to prevent the office-seekers from swarming here. Some of them, however, who have been lying here in a state of expectancy, were very prompt to put in an appearance, but did not succeed in obtaining an interview.

BOUTWELL-PLEASONTON.

At noon the President called a special Cabinet meeting, which was attended by all the members except Mr. Creswell. The Boutwell-Pleasonton imbroglio occupied most of the session, and while no positive decision was reached the tenor of the debate indicated that Gen. Pleasonton would be removed at no distant day. His successor was not even hinted, but will probably be Deputy Douglass, of Pennsylvania. It is stated that Mr. Boutwell made a speech, showing that the effect of Pleasonton's decisions, since he had been in office, had been to reduce the revenue eight millions of dollars a year.

INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

A letter was read to the Cabinet from Brunot, of Pittsburg, accepting the office of Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and his commission was made out. Gen. Parker's friends complain pitiably that the President should thus have made so marked a recognition of the Indian Peace Commission, who have worked so hard to get Parker out.

THE PRESIDENT AND ILLINOIS.

The President stated to-day that he should visit Chicago in September. He seems interested in a State convention which is to be held somewhere in Illinois about that time.

THE GENEVA CONFERENCE.

The Cabinet to-day discussed the appointments to the Geneva Conference, under the Washington treaty, but did not finally decide who should be the names.

HON. HAMILTON FISH

yesterday vacated the house which he has occupied here since he became Secretary of State. This fact, taken in connection with others of more or less importance would appear to be significant of his retirement from the Cabinet, though not conclusively so. It is known that he has before tendered his resignation, and was induced by the President to retain or suspend it.

COLFAX.

In a private letter from Vice President Colfax to one of his best friends, in this city, he states that he is now in excellent health—better than for many years. He is taking constant out-of-door exercise in the field and garden, and writing but little. Next week he will go to Minnesota.

[To the Associated Press.]

THE VANDERBILT SCRIP.

NEW YORK, August 1.—A Washington dispatch states that it is understood an examination of the Central Railroad is proceeding to determine how much tax shall be paid on the gross dividend, on the basis of the settlement agreed to, which is that the amount of the original assessment shall be abated by so much as was issued on the earnings of the road before the law went into effect. How much progress has been made is not known, nor how long it will take to complete the examination.

THE INDIANS.

Lieutenant Colonel J. W. Davis, commanding at Camp Supply, Indian Territory, under date of July 11th, says: "Camp Supply station, except a small force under Big Mouth, are encamped within twenty-five miles of this post, on the north fork of the Canadian river. The Cheyennes with the Arapahoes are encamped fourteen miles above me on Wolf Creek. The Kiowas, together with 100 lodges of Comanches, are encamped about 100 miles south of me on the tributaries of the Washita. I shall endeavor to keep the Cheyennes and Arapahoes from contact with the Kiowas as well as I can with the small force at my disposal.

Lieutenant-General Sheridan indorses this letter as follows: "The Indians named within have always held themselves responsible for their conduct, and will not be hard to maintain non-intercourse with them."

THE PRESIDENT.

President Grant, accompanied by Gen. Porter, arrived this morning in the early train. At 11 o'clock the Italian Minister called and had an audience with the President. The Minister was communicating to the latter the fact of the removal of the Italian seat of government to Rome. The Minister was in full court costume.

THE NEW GERMAN MINISTER.

At noon, the new German Minister, Schlozer, accompanied by Baron Alvensleben and attaches of the legation, repaired to the Executive Mansion, Secretary Fish soon arrived, and the President soon after joined the party, when the Secretary presented the new Minister to the President. The customary speeches of reciprocal good feeling and national friendship were made. The new Minister and his attaches were then presented to Mrs. Grant. After the distinguished visitors retired, the Cabinet meeting was held, at which all the heads of departments, except the Postmaster General, were present.

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NEW YORK.

SALE OF A RAILROAD.

NEW YORK, August 1.—The Staten Island Shore railroad, property, stables, cars, tracks, etc., were sold at auction to-day to James Moore, Civil Engineer of the New Jersey Central railroad, for $31,000.

McAlpine, referee in the Collins-Edwards Prize fight, who was sent to Blackwell's Island for a short term, escaped to-day.

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—P. M.

Wall street has been dull all day. The Gold market continued steady at 112¼@112¾, at which all the business of the day was transacted.

The gold clearances to-day at the Gold Exchange Bank were nearly $24,500,000.

The exports of specie to-day were $81,000.

The Government bond market closed firm and steady.

State securities were dull, but rather stronger than usual, Tennessees leading the advance.

The Money market continued easy all day at 2@3 P cent.

The Stock market improved during the day and closed quiet but strong, Northwestern being the chief feature of interest. The cliques now operating this stock made it quite scarce this afternoon and 1-32 to 1-16 of 1 P cent. was offered for its use. Western Union, Wabash and Lake Shore also advanced. The rise in the entire market averaged ½@1 P cent.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Coupons of 1881	118
Coupons of 1868	114¾
Coupons of 1864	113¾
Coupons of 1865	114
Coupons of 1865, new	113¾
Coupons of 1867	113
Coupons of 1868	113¾
Ten-forties	113½
Currency 6's	114¾

STOCKS.

Mariposa	¾	Pittsburgh	120¼
Do. preferred	5	Northwestern	69¾
Canton	78	Do. preferred	92¾
Western U. Tel'gh.	58½	C. C. & C.	98
Quicksilver	11¾	New Jersey Cent'l	103¾
Adams Express	91½	Rock Island	107¾
Pacific Mail	40¾	St. Paul	30¾
Wells & Fargo	44	Do. preferred	81½
American Express	53¾	Tol. & Wabash	73¾
U. S. Express	53	Do. preferred	93
N. Y. Central, com.	97¾	Ft. Wayne	98¾
N. Y. Cent'l, scrip	95½	Terre Haute	25
Erie	20¾	Do. preferred	55
Erie preferred	36	Chicago & Alton	128
Harlem	126	Do. preferred	135
Do. preferred	130	Ohio & Mississippi	44¾
Reading	113¾	C. C. & Ind. C.	19¾
Michigan Central	130	Burlington	149
Union Pacific	37¾	Cent'l Pac. bonds	98¾
Lake Shore	116	Union Pac. bonds	87
Ill. Cent.	130		

STATE BONDS.

Old Tennessee	73	Missouri	93¾
New Tennessee	71	Old N. Carolina	34
Old Virginia	84	New N. Carolina	35
New Virginia	72		

Sterling exchange, bankers' bills, 110.

THE METHODISTS.

Proceedings of the National Camp Meeting at Urbana, Ohio.

NATIONAL CAMP GROUND, URBANA, OHIO, August 1.—The services of the camp meeting were largely devoted to this evening under the conduct of Rev. Jno. S. Inskip, President of the National Camp Meeting Association. Mr. Inskip was in excellent voice, and appeared to have abundant power from his late illness.

About 40 ministers and nearly 1,000 laymen are here in attendance, and all the indications are that the gathering will be a large one in point of numbers. Among the prominent ministers present is the venerable Thomas A. Morris, senior Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church. The largest tent erected by the committee have been rented, and there is a demand for a large additional number, which cannot be supplied. The services this afternoon were merely initiatory and explanatory of the objects of the meeting. Mr. Inskip, after reading the rules governing the meeting, delivered a lengthy and informal talk of about an hour giving a rather random relation of his experience at similar meetings in other places. Preaching services were held to-night under the shelter of the great canvass tabernacle.

THE WHITE SOX.

They Beat the Mutuals for the Championship.

CHICAGO, August 1.—The third game of the base ball championship series, between the Mutuals, of Brooklyn, and the White Stockings, of this city, was played here this afternoon in presence of over seven thousand people. The latter victory for Chicago, the Mutuals being completely outplayed at every point and losing the game by a score of 10 to 8. Ferguson was catcher, Higham, second base, Hatfield third base; Mills, left field, and Patterson, left field. The errors were all by Hatfield, Pierce, Higham and Wallace, the latter's pitching being very poor. But one run was earned in the game, and that by the White Stockings. Mr. Young, of the Washington Olympics, acted as umpire. Below is the score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9—T.
White Stockings	3	0	2	1	0	2	0	1	1—10
Mutuals	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	4—8

The Olympics and Eckfords.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—A base ball game to-day between the Olympics and the Eckfords, of Brooklyn, resulted in favor of the latter—score 10 to 9. Following is the score:

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Olympics	2	3	2	0	0	3	2	0	0	12
Eckfords	0	0	1	1	3	1	0	2	1	9

THE SAVANNAH CLUB.

NEW YORK, August 1.—A game of base ball between the Savannah club and the Atlantics, of Brooklyn, at the Capitol grounds, resulted in 43 to 18 in favor of the latter, as follows:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T.
Atlantics	3	4	2	8	1	6	2	9	7	42
Savannahs	4	3	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	18

THE WOMEN.

A Wyoming Court Makes Jurors of Them and Declares Them Valid Under the Fourteenth Amendment.

CHEYENNE, Wyoming, August 1.—The present Court of Wyoming decided that women have a right to sit as jurors under provisions existing in the Territorial laws, Judge Fisher dissenting. Chief Justice Howe rendered an opinion that under the Fourteenth amendment women throughout the United States have the same rights as men in respect to suffrage and office holding.

A telegram from Col. Wham, Indian agent at Fort Laramie, says the Crows at that post were never more friendly to the whites or better satisfied with the action of the Government than now.

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Another California Murderess.

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EUROPE.

Prospect of a War Between Italy and France.

Asiatic Cholera on the Shores of England.

Approaching Trial of the Paris Communists.

England's Troubles.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—It appears that the most extreme precautions were taken by the Government against yesterday's demonstrations in Trafalgar Square of the opponents of the amnesty to Prince Arthur. Large bodies of troops were held in readiness to check any disturbance of the peace, but happily the police were able to control the disorderly element, and the services of the military were not required.

The Prince Arthur Pension.

The bill providing for an annuity of £15,000 per annum to Prince Arthur, having passed both houses of Parliament, has to-day received the assent of the Queen.

The Cholera.

Cholera has appeared in the south of France, and measures have been ordered to prevent, if possible, the spread of the disease.

The Official Journal to-day announces, as a result of a rigid inquiry into the explosion of the government powder-works at Vincennes, that the cause of the event was purely accidental.

The Assembly.

VERSAILLES, Aug. 1.—The Assembly, at its session of last evening, received communications from large numbers of their constituents expressive of the desire that they cast their votes for the prolongation of the term of office of Thiers, from over ninety departments.

The French legations at Dresden, Darmstadt, Hamburg and Vienna have been suppressed.

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Democratic State Ticket.

Governor—PRESTON H. LESLIE, of Barren.
Lieut. Gov.—JOHN G. CARLISLE, of Kenton.
Attorney Gen.—JOHN STANLEY, of Pulaski.
Auditor—EDWARD O. GUTHRIE, of Jefferson.
Treasurer—JAMES A. GRAY, of Owen.
Supt. Pub. Inst.—R. J. MENEFEE, of Fayette.
Reg. Land Office—JOHN W. FINNELL, of Graves.
Register—WOODS FERGUSON, of Jefferson.
Rep., 1st District—J. F. SACKETT, of Ballard.
Rep., 2d District—T. E. MAIDE, of Calloway.
Rep., 4th Dis., 6th ward—WILLIAM COKE, of Jefferson.
Rep., 5th District—J. M. WRIGHT, of Jefferson.
Rep., 6th District—S. GARDNEYER, of Jefferson.
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Rep., 8th District—D. W. ANDERSON, of Jefferson.
Rep., Jefferson County—E. POLK JOHNSON.

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Notice to Candidates.

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KENTUCKY NEWS.

The veterans of 1812 will have their next reunion at Lexington on the 5th day of October, the anniversary of Harrison's victory on the Thames.

Dr. S. H. Dougherty has announced himself a candidate for the office of Governor in Kentucky, on the regular Democratic nominee.

The Frankfort Yeoman of Tuesday says: "It was estimated that not less than three thousand people were in the city from the country to attend the circus—many of them remaining over to attend at night."

The Nashville Banner says: "Colonel R. S. Bevier, of Russellville, Kentucky, has been elected vice-president of the Overland Southern Railroad. A better selection for the position could not have been made by the road."

The cost to the city of Lexington of keeping the work-house will amount, at the end of the present year, August 18, 1871, to $10,300, instead of $25,475 of last year. It will be a saving of $15,000 under the present management.

The Paducah Kentuckian says: "Upon a careful estimate it is shown that there are nineteen ball clubs in this city, each club numbering about twenty members. We suggest that each member of each club subscribe one dollar, the proceeds to be devoted to the benefit of the Press office was the object of attack. The "clean out" to-morrow, gentlemen, undertook to clean out the whole concern. Mr. Sam Wilson, one of the foremen of the establishment, was the hero of the occasion. He ensured the peaceful dispatch of one of the parties, and as his weapon of choice was a bone, fortunately, striking him a belligerent gentleman was promptly arrested by Officer Shannon, and lodged in the watch house."

The Paducah Kentuckian has the following: "On the 9th day of last June, Charles Shaefer, then living in Gum Grove county, had a difficulty with one Tom Marshall, alias Jesse Hardin, and killed Shaefer. Marshall made his escape, but yesterday morning he was arrested by Marshal Wilcox at our market house, and was at once handed over to the sheriff of Graves county, who came down on the evening train. Constables also says: that a man by the name of Moore was shot and killed at Mayfield which came down the river last Thursday night. The ball entered the side above the hip, and ranged across the front of his body. He says he shot in self-defense. He is in a very precarious condition, but is beleaguered for here. His father is with him."

SOUTHERN NEWS.

Seventy-five kegs of lager per week satisfies Dalton, Georgia.

There are about one hundred Chinamen in the vicinity of Tuscaloosa, Ala., without the necessaries of life.

Chesterfield county, Va., is the first in the Old Dominion State with her ticket for the November election.

The colored people of Albany, Georgia, have nominated a municipal ticket, composed entirely of white Democrats.

A physician of Atlanta, Ga., says that unless that city is drained it will undoubtedly be attacked by epidemics during the summer.

Augusta (Ga.) city property foots up in value $8,181,200. The aggregate value of all taxables in Richmond county amounts to $15,251,670.

Hugh McQueen, one of the Winston county (Miss.) Kuklux prisoners, lately carried to Jackson for trial, has been admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

The Warren (Va.) Sentinel learns that snow fell to the depth of three inches on the night of the 25th ult., at Beams Gap, Rappahannock county.

It is stated that the publication of the letter of Governor Bullock of Georgia, in answer to the circular of the Kuklux Committee, has done the State of Georgia over $6,000. That's the way the money goes.

During an affray at Jacksonville, Telfair county, Ga., between three men named Jones and Jackson by the latter named Wilcox two of the former were fatally injured by being struck upon the head with a bar of iron.

The Richmond Whig learns that the regatta on the James river and Kanawha canal above Lynchburg, and the basin completed, and that navigation along the entire line will be resumed about the 1st of September.

The coal pits at Carbon Hill, in Tuckahoe township, Henrico county, Va., which have been idle for a number of years, have been leased by a company from New York, and work will be resumed about the first of August next.

The Memphis Appeal learns from Judge Underwood, of Helena, Arkansas, that work on the levee between Memphis and Helena railroad is being pushed, and that it is expected to finish the bridge over the L'Anguille river within the next six weeks.

By a correspondent from Pushmataha, Ala., we are advised that the prospect for the cotton crop in that and adjoining counties is very bad, that not over one-half a crop can possibly be made, and that the prospects throughout the entire State are no better.

The Fagan murder trial at Jacksonville, Fla., after twenty-one days of testimony and argument, has been brought to a close, the prisoner, W. C. Scott and James R. Scott, being found guilty. The former was sentenced to be hung, and the latter sent to the penitentiary for fifteen years.

Last Sunday at Memphis was unusually quiet—only one attempt at suicide, two disturbances, one burglary, two robberies, one cutting scrape, one case of assault at rape, and a gubernatorial "mashing up" of a woman by beating her with brickbats and sticks, knocking out four or five of her teeth, etc., etc. Only this and the latter sent to the penitentiary for fifteen years.

The fine oil painting of General Lee, which was purchased by a joint resolution of the General Assembly of Virginia at the last session, has been removed from the wall of the Senate Chamber and placed in the State Library. It was done by order of the Governor and under the superintendency of Mr. Sidney.

The Hawkinsville (Ga.) Dispatch says: "It is doubtful whether crops ever were in a worse condition on the Altamaha and Brunswick railroad between here and Macon than they are now. On Monday last we took particular notice of both corn and cotton, and, without the least exaggeration, they are the poorest we ever saw."

Nashville believes in sulphur water. The Banner has the following: "We learn that the Sulphur Springs will, during the present season, realize near $2,000 from the patronage all around." As a suggestion, would it not be well for the city to buy these springs and fit them up for a place of public resort?

A young man named Wm. G. Carringhan, aged eighteen years, living at Morristown, East Tennessee, lost his life by standing on the platform of a train, holding to the railing and talking to a young lady at a window in one of the cars last week, going out on a picnic excursion. In crossing a bridge, which he did not notice, he was struck by the timbers, from the effects of which he died.

The Nashville Banner of Tuesday says: "About the hour at which services had commenced in the various churches of Clarksville, last Sunday, a fire broke out in the stable of Jno. F. Couts, which was soon destroyed, loss from $500 to $700. No insurance. When the alarm was given the congregations became demoralized, and rushed out of the churches, and the scene for a time was one of great excitement."

At Wythesville, Va., July, 1871, in the case of Davis, trustee, etc., vs. Harman, Tate and others, the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia reversed a decision of the Circuit Court of Smythe county, and decided that Davis, the trustee and commissioner of the sale, ought not to be held responsible because the Confederate money which he got for the property in his hands has perished before it could be distributed by the court.

The Nashville Union and American feels badly, it drinks river water, and has this to say about it: "We understand that it has been customary of late to deposit dead carcasses in the neighborhood of the fatal ground site, just beyond the southern city limits, and that offensive odors are peculiar to that vicinity, so much so as to give just cause for complaint. So much has this been the case that the health officer at that point was washed into Brown's creek, and from thence it found its way to the river, finally reaching the reservoir, and no doubt much of the water pumped into the basin was more or less mixed with this impure matter. Such a nuisance, to say the least of it, should not be allowed."

The Chillicothe (Mo.) Constitution says: "Mr. James Brown, eldest son of our old friend, Mr. John Brown, of Linn county, disappeared, in 1863, from Jackson, Miss., and his relatives have long mourned him as dead. James was a soldier of the 35th Missouri infantry, and was taken prisoner by the Confederates in one of the battles preliminary to the siege of Vicksburg, in 1863, and was sent to Jackson, Miss., and imprisoned. Here he was recognized by an old Linn county friend, Capt. Wm. Sandusky, of the Confederate army, who effected his release from prison. He left Jackson, and during his subsequent wheresabouts could be discovered by his relatives, although diligent efforts have been made to solve the mystery. Recently information has been received to the effect that he long-lost son is the famous Dr. Jerry Torrings, of the coast of Florida, though by what means or how he came to be so named he has not transpired. Col. J. F. Asper, of this city, we learn, has taken the matter in hand, and will investigate it to a satisfactory solution."

THE EPISCOPAL EXCITEMENT.

Full Text of the Correspondence Between the Bishop and Wardens.

Oil on the Troubled Waters.

[From the Chicago Times.]

The correspondence between Right Rev. Bishop Whitehouse and the wardens of Christ Church relative to the Episcopal visitation of the bishop to that church, in regard to which so much has been said and but little known, is given below. It fully explains itself:

CORRESPONDENCE TO THE WARDENS.

To E. B. Phillips, and Albert Crane, Esqs., Wardens of Christ Church, Chicago:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby give you notice of my intention to make an official visitation of the parish of Christ Church, Chicago, on Sunday, the 13th inst., during the usual Sunday after Trinity at the usual hour of morning service, for the purpose of administering the apostolic rite of confirmation, and of celebrating the sacred rite of the Holy Communion. Of my charge. TIT. 1, Can. 18, sec. 11, Digest.

And inasmuch as the parish of Christ Church is now without a rector, I remind you that the duty of the church wardens to give public notice of this my visit, and to visit the church to the parishioners individually or collectively, as occasion may require, and also in the congregation on the first service, and also to make due report of the receipt of this notice. TIT. 1, Can. 18, sec. 4.

I am informed that there are a number ready for confirmation who have been admitted to the holy communion on the condition of the rubric, that they "are ready and desirous to be confirmed."

I, therefore, also, with the assistance of some authority, call upon the good people of the parish all who may desire confirmation peculiarly to prepare for the same, in which I, as your Bishop, will cheerfully assist them, and I call upon the faithful ministers of this church to aid the fulfillment of a most important duty in this church, and I will attend and assist them—many of them remaining over to attend at night.

Yours faithfully,
HENRY JOHN WHITEHOUSE.

CHICAGO, July 17, 1871.

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The following notice will be read in Church to the congregation to-morrow, and I trust will be satisfactory to your approval:

"The Right Reverend the Bishop of this diocese will hold an Episcopal visitation, and administer the sacred rite of confirmation in Christ Church, Chicago, on the fourteenth Sunday after Trinity, being the 13th day of September next, at the usual hours of morning service. The Bishop having been pleased on request, to change the time from the 13th of August to the 10th of September."

I beg you to believe me, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

ALBERT CRANE,
Warden of the Christ Church.

The notice was read by Rev. Dr. Kelly (Mr. Cheney being absent), who officiated at Christ church on Sunday, July 23, by the invitation of the wardens. The visitation of the bishop stands thus definitely fixed for Sunday, September 10.

AN EXPLANATION FROM MR. CRANE.

[To the Editor of the Times.]

In this morning's Times is an article in relation to a "correspondence between the Bishop and the wardens of Christ Church."

I shall be glad to have you state that there is nothing in the correspondence, to which you refer, calling for any explanation. It is good standing to resign for a later day for confirmation, as many of the class were absent. It did expressly state that, whatever day might be selected, "the reception, the Rev. Charles E. Cheney, is to receive the Bishop and make all needful preparation to receive the candidates; but it was simply to arrange for a later day for confirmation, as many of the class were absent. It did expressly state that, whatever day might be selected, "the reception, the Rev. Charles E. Cheney, is to receive the Bishop and make all needful preparation to receive the candidates; but it was simply to arrange for a later day for confirmation, as many of the class were absent. Surely, if the rector of Christ church, the Rev. Charles E. Cheney, is to receive the Bishop and make all needful preparation to receive the candidates, he would be competent to render assistance in the matter of preparation.

The letter of the wardens gave but a letter from the rector's absence, and would only have been proper during such absence.

The rector, officers and congregation of Christ Church claim their have ever "recognized the Bishop's Episcopal authority;" but this does not exempt them from expressing that such authority shall be legally executed.

ALBERT CRANE,
CHICAGO, July 26. Warden of Christ Church.

LIVE TALK.

The Bourbons and the New Departure.

[From the New York Express.]

We beg leave to suggest to our good friends, the Bourbons, who never forget anything, nor learn anything, out of the old school, that we have had a long civil war—that is effect—that it kept the States apart from four to eight years—that it gave freedom to all the negroes by the general emancipation of slavery in all the States—that it put the ballot in the hands of a good many hundred thousand of these negroes—that it resulted in the amendments to the Federal Constitution—that negroes vote, and go to Congress and State Legislatures, are elected State and county officers—that in some of the States these negroes outnumber the white voters—that government, at the South is not likely to be changed without the use of some other force—that what can't be cured must be endured—that it is better to bear the inevitable with grace and to seek to change it by hopeless physical resistance or forceful argument. We beg leave also to suggest some other practical ideas, as, for example, that it is better to save something than to lose all.

When a ship gets stranded by striking upon the rocks or shoals, if a pilot is on board, the first thing he does—and if not the pilot then the captain—is to lighten the ship, so as to save her if possible. He begins by throwing off the deck load, and if this is not enough he opens the hold and throws out freight stowed away under the decks.

That is what the Democratic party does now. Our ship of State has been very much in this condition, and there are those in the land who would like to see even the lower hold of the Constitution broken open. They are willing to recognize the rights, the pushing and mending in the hull and rigging, masts and spars for the sake of saving as much as possible of the old ship. "But don't do it," say our Bourbon friends. "Give us the whole or none, the old whole, without rent, seam, or blemish." Well, gentlemen, this is just what cannot be done. The civil war, the resolution to be independent of the old Union, the unsuccessful strife, the waste of life, the loss of property, the public debt, the engendered animosities and grand consequences of attempted secession make it impossible to restore the old order of things. We must do the best we can as we find them, without slavery, without the three-fifths representation of negroes, with negroes voting, with the carpet-bag State governments—only for the time being, we hope—with a more consolidated government than ever before, and with all the miseries which attend the amendments of the past ten years. The Express, with some other journals and people, believes in any new departure which can be safely made, but cannot believe that Tennessee would have put a clause in her constitution destroying slavery but as the behest and dictation of the Federal Government. And elected by the vote of the whole people to form a new constitution, ever have incorporated in that constitution the provision conferring suffrage on her lately emancipated slaves except under coercion and intimidation from the same quarter? Then, as for the matter of coercion, all the amendments, Federal and State, stand on the same footing, and all are entitled to the same deference and "acceptance." We hope our worthy and respected contemporaries will at once come to see the unwisdom of the course they are pursuing, "accept" the inevitable, and, if irreconcilable, turn their powerful batteries against some enemy rather than firing on their friends; so that the Democracy may present an unbroken front, move in serried ranks upon the hosts of Radicalism, and achieve a glorious victory in '73 for constitutional government and popular liberty. This they will have to do sooner or later. The great battle of next year, in spite of their efforts and the efforts of their co-laborers in the bad cause of disunion and strife in the Democratic ranks, will be fought on that "line." There is nothing more certain than this. From this base alone can the Democracy hope to move forward to victory. The dismay and panic that this great move is unmistakably caused in the Radical camps is the best and all sufficient evidence to our mind of its wisdom and strategic value. A long pull and a strong pull and a pull altogether and victory is assured.

Remarkable Electrical Phenomena.

A correspondent of the Baker City (Oregon) Democrat gives the following account of strange electrical phenomena noticed in that State: "Our tent is pitched about 400 yards below the Clover Ferry, on Snake river. The surrounding country gives evidences of an early spring. The grass has fully matured, giving the hills a brown tinge. The weather is oppressively warm. The thermometer would indicate 120 degrees in the shade. The heat was so intense that the miners on the bar refused to labor. When I asked one of them if this was a fair sample of the weather in this locality he replied, 'No,' and with a shrug of the shoulders and a twinkle in his eye he continued, 'I think Summerfield must have thrown the fatal pill into the Pacific.' At 7 P. M. a cloud rose to the south of us, and distant thunder was heard, and all rejoiced at the prospect of rain. The cloud rapidly increased in size and density, and gradually approached us. At 8 P. M. it had reached to the northward of us. Electrical discharges were frequent, and the thunder shook the earth. While five of us were witnessing this grand pyrotechnic display of nature, a flash intensely bright zig-zagged down the side of a mountain, distant about half a mile. The thunder instantly peeled forth a terrific shock, and, before its reverberations had died away in the distance, we discovered the grass on fire on the mountain's side, directly in the track of the electrical current. The question arose: Had the lightning set the grass on fire? My companion remarked: 'If there were any hostile Indians in this vicinity I should regard it as a signal fire.' Before we had time to reply to his remarks another discharge came down a hillside two hundred yards nearer to us. Again the grass was ignited. While expressing our astonishment at this phenomenon, another discharge descended the hillside parallel to the preceding current, and again the burning grass marked its course. This was something rarely seen, and never before witnessed by any of us. Inside of ten minutes the grass was three times set on fire by electricity. The same phenomenon occurred twice, during the same storm, on Mr. Eaton's ranch, one mile up the river. While we were witnessing the freaks of electricity on the south side of the river a fire burst forth on the south side. From a deep gorge a few hundred yards below camp a dense smoke came rolling down to the river, showing that the storm king had been playing his pranks there, too. A smart shower of rain soon extinguished the fires, dissipated the smoke, and purified and cooled the atmosphere, rendering sleep enjoyable in our tent."

A Puzzle Solved.

[From the New Orleans Picayune.]

In our Friday morning's edition we published the following, for which the New York World is responsible:

"A resident of Hartford, who died, leaving his lady in a condition which is hoped her love for him rendered consonant with her wishes, also left a will that, if the anticipated infant turned out to be a boy, two-thirds of the estate should be his, and the remaining third should go to the widow; if, on the other hand, a girl should be born, the widow was to have two-thirds of the property and the child one-third. But, with a woman's peculiar aptitude for unnecessarily complicating questions, the lady saw fit to fling forth twins, of whom one is male, the other female. And now all the lawyers in the land are at loggerheads to decide whether the boy shall have two-thirds and the girl one-third of the estate, leaving nothing for the mother, or whether the mother can claim one-third for having borne the boy and two-thirds for having borne the girl. Dr. Bulwer is reported to have suggested that the property into six-thirds—or say ten—and give him one."

Yesterday we called upon W. H. Sutton, Esq., of the firm of Sutton, Powell & Huey, of this city, who handed us the subjoined solution of the puzzle, which we publish for the edification of the disagreeing New York doctory of law:

Daughter's share.....
Mother's share.....
Son's share.....

Son twice mother's share.....

Daughter's share.....
Mother's share.....
Son's share.....

Estate mathematically divided and will sustained.

☞ A Lowell man, who had taken out a marriage certificate one day last week, was so discouraged at finding the bride dead drunk when he called at her house, that he at once proposed to another girl, ten years younger, was accepted, got a new certificate, and was married, all on the same day.

☞ An old miser lately starved to death in an Albany barn with $8500 in his pocket.

CITY ITEMS.

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Many years ago I was in the last stages of consumption. I could not sit up in my bed, and at one time my physicians thought that I could not live twenty-four hours. I was like a drowning man catching at straws, I heard of and obtained the preparations which I now offer to the public, and from the first dose I felt them penetrating to every nerve and fibre of my system. They seemed to me that I could feel them penetrating to every nerve and fibre of my system. They seemed to me that I could feel them penetrating to every nerve and fibre of my system. They seemed to me that I could feel

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RIVER NEWS.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

[For particulars see advertisements.]

Cincinnati	ROB'T ALLEN	P. M.	
Henderson	TARASCON	5 P. M.	
Cairo	EDDYVILLE	5 P. M.	
Fort Pickering	CHARLES	4 P. M.	
Cincinnati	GEN. LYTLE	4 P. M.	
Madison	NAT WILLIAMS	1 P. M.	
Louisville No. 2	Louisville No. 1	delivered	

Arrivals Yesterday.

Juniata, Cin.	Gen. Boell, Cin.
Cincinnati, Madison.	Tarascon, Hend.
R. C. Gray, Cairo.	Eddyville, Cairo.

Departures Yesterday.

Juniata, Cin.	Gen. Boell, Cin.
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The river continues to recede, and had fallen one inch in the 24 hours ending yesterday at 6 P. M. At that time the water marks only showed 12 inches in the canal on Indian shoals, with about 4½ feet over Portland bar. Owing to the low stage of water several boats are now aground, and will be compelled to withdraw, and give way to lighter class boats. This will occur within a few days, when the rise reported will get down. Yesterday was clear, with a close temperature. The mercury at 2 P. M. indicated 90 degrees in the shade. Reports from little Indiana crops treated on the levee yesterday.

The Nat Williams goes out to-day at one o'clock, to Madison.

The St. Cloud arrived from Cairo at 2 P. M. yesterday, and will lay up for the present.

The Ada Heilman is again afloat, and will arrive in time to leave for Cairo Saturday.

The Morning Star, Captain A. T. Gilmore, is the Henderson packet to-day, leaving at 5 P. M. sharp.

A number of laborers have been sent from Nashville, Tenn., to work on the Mississippi river levees.

Dredging the bars at Glass House is still progressing. The work will not be completed for two weeks.

The Leclaire No. 2 will be found at the Portland wharf this morning, and will back out for Evansville at 6 P. M.

The steamer H. S. Turner departed for New Orleans late yesterday evening with all the freight she could carry out on the water.

The Bermuda will be down early this morning from Cincinnati with reshipping freight for the Mary Miller, Le Claire No. 4, and Eddyville.

The Shannon, from New Orleans, and the Sprague, from Memphis, arrived last night before and have gone to the bank to await more water.

The Ben Franklin is the morning mail line boat for Cincinnati to-day, leaving at 9 o'clock, and the Gen. Lytle the evening boat, leaving at 4 o'clock.

The light draught steamer Mary Miller, Capt. James Pearl, will leave for Newport with this evening at 9 o'clock. She goes through without reshipping.

Capt. E. B. Trinidad, superintendent of the Diamond Transportation Company, is in the city. He is here for the purpose of superintending the building of a new boat for his company.

The Carter line of steamers have advanced freight rates from St. Louis to Newport, and are now charging $1 on flour, $2 50 on whisky, and 65 cents per 100 pounds on other freight.

The Warren Belle arrived from Bayou Teche night before last. She will be dismantled and her machinery transferred to a new boat being built by James Howard & Co. for the Attakapas Transportation Company.

The steamer St. Joseph, bound from St. Louis to Memphis, struck a snag at Able Tow-head, eight miles above Cairo, Sunday night, and was run in on the bar, where she sank in 8 feet of water inside and eight feet outside. Very little freight was damaged except in her hold. She lies straight, and can be easily raised.

The Memphis Avalanche, of Monday, says: "The river still recedes slowly, with nine feet scant at Island 40 and Bulletin bars, between here and Cairo. Six feet is all that is to be found on Greenleaf's and Dogtooth, above Cairo. White has but three feet below Jacksonport, and Arkansas almost the same below Little Rock. The weather was warm and close yesterday, with indications of rain. Business at the landing was light and items few."

The New Orleans Picayune of the 29th says: "The river reporter of the Picayune has returned to his duties after an absence of several weeks, part of it with sad memories, and takes this method of returning his sincere thanks for the many courtesies extended to him by his correspondents of the river department at Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Memphis, and particularly to Captain Hudson Rees, of the Natchez, for their uniform kindness on his return home from St. Louis on this splendid steamer. He found the Natchez in port when he arrived yesterday to Capt. W. S. Bassett. Terms private. The great Natchez tied up for repairs and renovation after the season's business, and with the reopening of the cotton year she will resume her place in the Vicksburg trade as a regular Saturday packet."

The fleet and light-draught steamer Eddyville, Capt. T. G. Ryan, arrived from Cairo yesterday, bringing up 120 bundles of tobacco, 60 tons of miscellaneous freight and 32 cabin passengers. The Eddyville is the lightest draught packet now running on the lower Ohio, drawing only sixteen inches light, and will carry one hundred and fifty tons of freight on less than three feet. She was formerly as a regular packet between this and Cairo, and has made several trips, and time far has never failed to make the round trip in less than six days. Her cabin accommodations are equal, if not superior, to any boat of her class that is now on the river, and aside from that she is officered by polite and courteous gentlemen, who will do everything in their power to add to the pleasure of the traveling public. She will leave the Portland wharf this evening at 5 o'clock and will connect with the Bohemia, leaving Cairo for New Orleans next Saturday. She gives through freight to New Orleans at all points on the Mississippi river.

A recent report of the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce embodies the following: In relation to the condition of the levees, the river trade, and the raft which from time immemorial has been so grievous an obstruction to its navigation, the report says that the levees from the point up river from and above Shreveport. From this to Vidalia, a distance of from fifteen to eighteen miles, the levees are reported in patches or sections of raft, the greater portion of which is a rotted condition. The exact extent of the raft is not known, but from data on hand the length is not more than ten miles. From Fostern bayou up, navigation is unobstructed except near Old Lake Providence, where a channel has been cut easily be made, thus giving an open water route nearly it not all the year. Those improvements will enable family to cotton to the levee, give regular communication and reduce in insurance charges 25 per cent. on present rates, cause a like reduction of freights and insurance on upward shipments and prevent damages from overflow. Under the head of levees, the article of cotton alone as much as $8 per bale. It will also regenerate a long and rich belt of country and developed farms of the most fertile lands in the world."

The St. Louis Republican of Monday says: "The river continues to fall slow at this port. The condition of the Mississippi channel is represented as being bad in the extreme. The Northwest has recently been visited by tremendous rains, and all the small streams and streams through Nebraska, a portion of Iowa and Kansas are reported to be higher than ever before, owing to the growing crops, washing away fences and destroying bridges. It is probable that we shall have a rise in the river here from these local floods, but we cannot depend on such a contingency for the permanent effects produced on the stage of water in the river. We hear of nothing of a cheerful character from the Upper Mississippi or the Illinois. No local floods up there to raise the water as in the Missouri. On the landing there is comparatively very quiet. There were no movements of freight; no discharging of cargoes, and but few arrivals of packets, the latter being confined to the few landing presented a lonely and deserted appearance. A few boats were lying at the landing, but around them was no bustle, there was no exceedingly quiet. Sunday is always a quiet day in St. Louis, more quiet than in many smaller cities where more attention is paid and regard to Sunday observances are made."

The Cincinnati Gazette of yesterday says: "The Southwestern Transportation and Wrecking Boat Company is likely to experience competition. We learn that certain parties have combined together to build a new boat, and locate it at the foot of Sycamore street, which is designed to accommodate all steamers that desire to use their ways for repairs. They have also been asking bids for the building of the same, and the Marine Railway and Dry Dock Company have in their hands a proposition which is not accepted. The hull of the wharf-boat is to be 320 feet long, 50 feet wide and 5½ feet hold. With one guard on the side wide floor, four by ten inches, and lapped eight feet from the center, on both sides. The center will be fourteen inches. Top timbers four inches thick, by six inches at the top and eight inches at the bottom. She will have three decks, eight by eight inch bulkheads, six inches thick, bolted and fastened equal to the steamer Charles Bodmann. It will also have two water bulkheads, six inches thick. Its knuckle keleon will be 8 by 12 inches. The contract was let to the M. F. and D. D. Company yesterday, and the wharf-boat is to be completed in 60 days. Capt. Vincent Shinkle, of the Champion Tow and Coal Company, is at the head of the enterprise. Considerable talk on the streets yesterday that the Anna had sunk, but on making inquiry we learned from her owners that she had struck a snag at Gayoso, and injured her hull slightly, shipping a small quantity of water. With the aid of pumps the hole was stopped and the Anna proceeded on her way. She was to arrive here last evening, having passed Portsmouth a seven o'clock yesterday morning. The late Robinson went up in her place this evening. The United States snag-boat Zebra has commenced the work of destroying the big snag located just below the mouth of Licking river."

For river telegrams, see first or fourth page.

Mr. Helena (Montana) Gazette says: "Mr. M. Manning, near Deer Lodge, has six acres of very nice wheat. It's introduction is rather peculiar. Four years ago, Mr. Manning noticed a few heads of singular wheat that came up among his other grain, which he saved separately. This year it was white, plump grains each, he carefully preserved. From these heads last year he raised forty bushels, and this year will, from six acres, about fifty bushels of the same. The flour is of the very best quality, as can be seen at Mr. Manning's house. It is supposed that the seed of this extraordinary wheat must have been brought in under the roots of some plant by wild geese while flying over, as no such grain is known in this country."

☞ The latest novelty is a bathing-car, introduced a few days ago, at Cape May. It consists of a strong framework, with slat floor and galvanized wire inclosure, through which the surf passes. There is a metal-lic cylinder on each side of the car, some eighteen inches in diameter and sigar-shaped. Those cylinders act as floats when the car is hauled off into the water, and on each side of the car seats on which the bathers can recline.

☞ It is said 100,000 people die of consumption every year in this country.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 2, '71.

SMALL TALK.

STANTON'S widow's income is $7,000.

AN Indiana man wants a patent for a new gallows.

REYNOLDS, Indiana, has a cemetery-patch occupying 1,700 acres.

THE wind of Mt. Washington storms travels at the rate of 100 miles an hour.

SINCE Morton's return home from Louisville, he moves uneasily in his sleep, pulls an imaginary hat over his right eye, and mutters "slap up."

THE Chicago Times says: "The negro who smoked a dirty black pipe in the picnic car on the Madison-street line on yesterday did not create any excitement."

COL. ISAAC VAN WART BUCKHOUT, who is to be hanged soon in the State of New York, expresses pride in the fact that he is to be swung off on a new gallows in a new jail-yard.

THEY make short work of such priests as Max Horte, at Straubing, who refused to accept infallibility. His excommunication did not render him an ex-Horte, but he has ceased to exhort.

THAT royal booby, the Prince of Wales, is in print again as the successor of his mother. The old lady's health is declining, and the loyal Britons demand a healthy head for the home government.

MISS ——, the reigning belle at Saratoga, has a wardrobe which fills five huge trunks, two French maids, a hired young lady companion, two pet canaries, a pair of ponies and a nobby phaeton, and a shabby, sore-eyed poodle.—[New York Mail. The French maids, the hired young lady, the ponies, the canaries and the poodle are deserving of sympathy. The one that has swallowed the chignon must be full from comfort-able.

A LONG BRANCH letter says: "The lack of men everywhere here is a prolific source of grief to the complimentary half of the world. Landlords are besought for beaux. Each and every feminine arrival is looked upon with increasing disgust. Women sit in continuous rows upon piazzas, and border parlors like so many wall-flowers. They were in numbers at last night's hop as seven to one. They danced in pairs, promenaded in couples and bemoaned to each other."

A FEW days since a woman in Milwaukee was "hard at it" blowing up the neighbors, a hired girl, and everything in general, when her husband entered and interposed a mild word. This added fuel to her temper, and she opened her mouth for an angry reply, but a spasm contracted her cheek, her lower jaw fell, and she could neither speak nor shut her mouth, but remained in that condition, her tongue hung out, and her eyes nearly started out of their sockets. On examination being made, it was found that she had dislocated her jawbone in her violent effort to make a stinging reply to her husband. A surgeon was called, who reduced the dislocation, bound up her head, and prescribed a gruel diet.

OUT IN THE STATE.

Governor Leslie's Speech at Hopkinsville.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

HOPKINSVILLE, July 31.

Governor Leslie spoke here Saturday night. Following his appointment at Cadiz in the afternoon, it was hardly expected that he would reach Hopkinsville on time, 8 P. M., or that after a journey of twenty miles, over a rough road, his physical strength, already enfeebled, would enable him to answer with his accustomed force, the unblushing statements of General Harlan. And so it proved as to the hour of his arrival, but as to the force of his arguments, the incontrovertible array of facts and the earnestness of his appeal.

Stationed on the balcony of the court-house, a band of music on the ground, a few discoursed that enlivening tune "Shoo Fly" to the crowd impatiently waiting below, while the circuit court-room within presented a no less delighted audience of the ladies of Hopkinsville, well knowing that they would hear nothing from the lips of their future Governor that could possibly offend the most fastidious taste, were on the excitement reached its culmination in the statement that a more respectful, appreciative and attentive audience was never seen in the palmiest days of Hopkinsville's fair ones. At o'clock he escorted by Col. John D. Morris of the Hopkinsville New Era, and several prominent members of the Young Men's Democratic Club, the entrance of Governor Leslie, for the purpose of greeting worthy of the speaker, accompanied as it was, with one united, long and hearty welcome, expressed on the countenance of the ladies present, and the deafening cheers of a thousand voices.

It was no small pleasure, he said, to be with them on night, notwithstanding his feeble condition. He had been suffering for the last three or four days with a severe cold; his voice was now hoarse, and he must be necessarily brief. He had responded to calls in the two counties, and was rejoiced to announce that wherever he had gone he had found the people standing firm and true to the principles of Democratic purity. He had also been traveling his anxieties had been increased. Every moment he had regretted that the election was not sixty days off that he might go into every county in the State. Whether or not we were to have a free, government was a great and a grave question. Mr. Needham and Mr. Thomas had been a great deal of unnecessary excitement and had wandered very far from the discussion of questions of vital importance to the State. General Harlan had flung on a little further than the standard of Radicalism, and while he did not know what course his competitor had taken when here, it was his mission to answer him, and present the fallacies and corruptions of Radical rule. He wished he was in a condition, physically, to make a thorough exposition. One subject in chief was the question of finances. Upon that question all were alike interested from head to foot. He was able to state the whole truth. He knew how the finances of Kentucky had been taken care of, and he had challenged Harlan to point his finger to one dollar that had been improperly handled. The State officers had faithfully applied the money, and he defied any Radical within the sound of his voice to disprove what he said. Eighteen millions of the people's money, under Radical rule, had gone, and yet the same party asked a continuance of power that it might continue its depredations. The subject of finances was a dry one, he knew, and he had felt that half his congregation had been bored by his speech, but it was a necessary subject. When he alluded to it, he felt that he was speaking in behalf of every child in Christian county. [Long and loud applause.] He was evidently the target of this Radical party in revolutionize our present form of government, to eradicate all the rights of the States, concentrate all power in the Federal power and establish a despotism. He would therefore warn the black man and the white man against voting for a party which assumes that all power must be vested in Congress.

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THE NEW YORK HORROR.

Scenes in the Metropolis After the Explosion.

A Ghastly Panorama.

Telegrams to the COURIER-JOURNAL have already given the particulars of the Westfield ferryboat explosion. The scenes that followed this appalling disaster are fully described in the New York papers of Monday. We copy as follows from the Times:

Horrors in the Streets.

The scene along Broadway, from Whitehall to Centre street, during the forenoon of the mutilated victims of the explosion to the hospitals, was harrowing in the extreme. Soon after the dreadful accident occurred every available vehicle in the neighborhood of the disaster was pressed into the service, and trucks and carts, coaches and wagons, filled with the bloody, scalded sufferers, writhing in all the agonies of intense pain, were hurried on to their destination. Policemen could be seen carefully holding cushions to their arms, upon which lay little innocents, some piteously wailing for their mammas, while others, far beyond the reach of human aid, were growing cold in death. Some of the victims, who had suffered comparatively slight injuries, were observed walking along the streets, supported by friends. Most of the poor fellows presented a ghastly appearance, and their livid pale-ness looked more like walking dead men than beings of this world. Their clothing were almost in tatters, many had received severe contusions from flying splinters, and all were more or less seriously scalded. Every drug-store along the route to the hospitals was a miniature dispensary, where the failing strength of the pitiful sufferers was either revived by strong stimulants or the poor victim's energies were beyond recuperation, when the welcoming place became his last on earth. To say that Broadway was crowded would poorly express the immense throng of sympathizers, mostly of the poorer classes, who had gathered to witness the panorama of agonized suffering as it hurried by; and, amid all that was so heartrending and horrible, it was pleasant to notice the expressions of real heartfelt sympathy that were uttered in the most touching accents by the very lowest classes for the sad fate of the victims of the shocking catastrophe. The hospital on Center street was surrounded by an excited multitude, each one scanning the injured as they were brought in, trembling with fear as victim after victim passed, lest he or she should be father, mother, sister, brother, or some loved one equally dear. The anxiety and eagerness of the crowd were absolutely uncontrollable, as they pressed forward to the ambulance to view the dead and it was only by the use of power that the police could maintain their depredations. The subject of finances was a dry one, he knew, and he had felt that half his congregation had been bored by his speech, but it was a necessary subject. When he alluded to it, he felt that he was speaking in behalf of every child in Christian county. [Long and loud applause.] He was evidently the target of this Radical party to revolutionize our present form of government, to eradicate all the rights of the States, concentrate all power in the Federal power and establish a despotism. He would therefore warn the black man and the white man against voting for a party which assumes that all power must be vested in Congress.

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Scenes and Incidents at Park Hospital.

As soon as the first rumor of the accident got circulation, an immense throng of people assembled about the Park Hospital. As each ambulance and express wagon arrived with its ghastly load of victims, the excitement became more intense. People crowded around, fearing that some of their relatives might be found among the killed and wounded. The police formed a cordon around the building and kept back the anxious crowd. In the hospital there were a number of surgeons from all the police stations in the city, and several volunteer surgeons who came to assist their professional brethren. The scene presented inside was most heart-rending. Men who had served through the late war, and had seen many a desperate battle, where the field was strewn with dead and wounded, were horror-stricken at the fearful spectacle in the various wards of the hospitals. Men, women, and children could be seen literally strewn on the floor of the hospital, suffering in various ways from the catastrophe. In the treatment ward men might be seen with their faces scalded, and their skin scalded from their head to their feet. Some bore their sufferings with fortitude, but the moans of others were most distressing. Passing through the wards, the reporter of the Times saw some scenes which were enough to curdle the blood in the most hardened heart. Here lay a boy with the whole flesh scalded from his body. He was lying on his face groaning piteously. Near him was a man with a splinter of wood driven through his arm, who was greatly scared at his condition, and believed himself on the point of death. In the next ward lay the body of a man who had received a compound comminuted fracture of the left leg without any further external injury. The poor fellow had died before the doctors are at present unable to determine. In the next ward a most affecting sight was seen. Mr. William H. H. Prall, the custom-house officer, who attempted to commit suicide on Friday evening by shooting himself, lay at the point of death. His two daughters stood by the side of the bed in a state of terrible grief. Reporters and reporters crowded round the bed of the dying man, under the impression that he was one of the victims of the catastrophe. The poor girls begged of them to keep back and let them see their father to his last moment, unmolested by strangers. In a few moments Mr. Prall breathed his last, amid the confusion, and the hospital surgeons took charge of the incident. His body was immediately removed. On the upper story were the women and children, and here the most hard-hearted men could hardly restrain from weeping. In one corner were two German ladies, named Schirmer and Meyers. They were mother and daughter. The mother was apparently unhurt. The younger lady had received a severe cut on the left cheek and a slight burn on the face. When asked how she felt she said "I was nothing." She was sitting on the edge of a cot, saying simply, "I suffer there." Lying on the pallet were two fine children, a boy and a girl, aged respectively six and eight years. They were badly scalded about the face and eyes. One of them was sleeping under the influence of an opiate, but the other seemed to suffer intense pain, and filled the room with his cries. Passing on a little further through the ward, a very young woman was seen sitting in an arm-chair, and apparently suffering great pain. A surgeon approached her with the intention of affording her some relief. Examination showed that a slight scald on the hand, but she complained of an intense pain in the chest. It was found that she had been scalded internally by the inhalation of steam, and that nothing could be done for her. Near this woman lay another married woman swathed from head to foot in cotton and oil. She entirely forgot her own misfortune in the sufferings of others. On the next bed to her lay a fine boy, about two years old, badly scalded, but still likely to recover. The poor mother was inconsolable, and thought the child was another child to disprove what he said. Eighteen millions of the people's money, under Radical rule, had gone, and yet the same party asked a continuance of power that it might continue its depredations. The subject of finances was a dry one, he knew, and he had felt that half his congregation had been bored by his speech, but it was a necessary subject. When he alluded to it, he felt that he was speaking in behalf of every child in Christian county. [Long and loud applause.] He was evidently the target of this Radical party to revolutionize our present form of government, to eradicate all the rights of the States, concentrate all power in the Federal power and establish a despotism. He would therefore warn the black man and the white man against voting for a party which assumes that all power must be vested in Congress.

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To the First Precinct Station-House.

As the reporter rushed down Broadway toward the South Ferry he met a procession with a ghastly wounded body inside, supported between two men, then a small wagon with a woman stretched upon its floor, apparently dead; then first one, and then another of the great Fire Department wagons, filled with a horrid freight; torn and muddy bundles of clothes, with here and there a bloody head raised a moment by the agony of suffering, then as humanity. Following the track of one of these wagons which turned down Pearl street, and forsaking the stream of people who were rushing like mad down Whitehall, the reporter walked through Peal into New street to the First Precinct Station-house, where the wagon stopped. A vast crowd filled the street, jammed close up on the steps and the houses on the opposite side, and clambering on the railings and windows in front of the station. The peculiarity of this vast assemblage was the stillness. There was no loud conversation, and the only sounds were the hoarse shouts and orders of the police and firemen, who sought to drive the crowd back from the entrance. From the wagon, a young woman was seen sitting in an arm-chair, and apparently suffering great pain. A surgeon approached her with the intention of affording her some relief. Examination showed that a slight scald on the hand, but she complained of an intense pain in the chest. It was found that she had been scalded internally by the inhalation of steam, and that nothing could be done for her. Near this woman lay another married woman swathed from head to foot in cotton and oil. She entirely forgot her own misfortune in the sufferings of others. On the next bed to her lay a fine boy, about two years old, badly scalded, but still likely to recover. The poor mother was inconsolable, and thought the child was another child to disprove what he said. Eighteen millions of the people's money, under Radical rule, had gone, and yet the same party asked a continuance of power that it might continue its depredations. The subject of finances was a dry one, he knew, and he had felt that half his congregation had been bored by his speech, but it was a necessary subject. When he alluded to it, he felt that he was speaking in behalf of every child in Christian county. [Long and loud applause.] He was evidently the target of this Radical party to revolutionize our present form of government, to eradicate all the rights of the States, concentrate all power in the Federal power and establish a despotism. He would therefore warn the black man and the white man against voting for a party which assumes that all power must be vested in Congress.

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Governor Bramlette at Munfordville.

[Special Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

MUNFORDVILLE, August 1, 1871.

Governor Bramlette spoke here to-day to a large and enthusiastic audience. Seldom has it been the good fortune of our citizens to listen to so able and eloquent an exposition of Democratic principles as that given by Gov. Bramlette to-day. The audience first assembled in the court-house, but as that proved inadequate to accommodate the large numbers, the meeting adjourned to the grove in front. Governor Bramlette was introduced by Colonel Dawson in a few appropriate remarks, and was loudly applauded on rising. He alluded, in commencing, to the notice which had appeared in the Radical paper in Louisville, giving notice that Colonel Dawson and himself were about to deliver funeral sermons in various portions of the State, and said even while that fact was true, and that the funeral was that of Radicalism in this State, he declined to preach from the text they had chosen for him, choosing instead the Matthew xxiii., 24 and 25. Taking that as his text, he proceeded to review the history of the Radical party since its organization down to the present time in a manner which kept his audience wide awake, and elicited frequent applause. He spoke over three hours, closing in spite of loud cries of "Go on." His speech to-day will bring forth good fruit next Monday.

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NEW ALBANY.

The City Council meet in regular session next Monday night.

There was nothing doing in Justice Monroe's court yesterday.

Letters from Hon. M. C. Kerr announce his arrival in Cork, Ireland, July 18th.

Tony Pastor's Minstrels will be at the Opera House on the 12th of August.

The Wesley Chapel Teachers' Institute will meet at that church next Friday night.

Charles D. Howk, Esq., has gone to Wisconsin for the benefit of his health.

The Louisville, New Albany and Chicago railroad is doing a fine passenger business.

The range of the thermometer yesterday was as follows: 8 A. M. 70, 10 A. M. 90, 2 P. M. 94.

There are fourteen trains now running daily, except Sunday, on the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Railroad.

The City Clerk yesterday paid the members of the fire department their monthly salaries for July, amounting to $600.

The County Recorder reports business at a standstill in his office; not a solitary instrument of writing recorded yesterday.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to George C. Sumner and Margaret O. Price, Gabriel McKinley and Mary C. Miller.

Judge G. H. Chapman, receiver of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago railroad, was in the city yesterday.

The Internal revenue collections in the Second collection district aggregated $10,769 54 during the month of July.

Township Trustee Reuben Robertson yesterday issued an order for the admission of Tom Burke to the County Poor Asylum.

Capt. Robert J. Shaw, Prosecutor of Circuit Court, is rejoicing mightily over the addition of a young heiress to his family. Weight nine pounds.

A little daughter of Louis Knasal had her collar bone broken on Monday evening by falling from the doorstep of the family residence, on Upper Fourth street.

The excessive hot weather kept bummers within doors yesterday, consequently the police had nothing to do, and there were no arrests up to 9 o'clock last evening.

Mary Hays, a colored damsel, who resides on Lower Eighth street, was assessed $9 40 in the Police Court, yesterday, for disorderly conduct in fighting with her mother.

Mr. John Goss, who resides near New Providence, met with a severe, and probably fatal accident, Friday evening, by being kicked in the stomach by a horse he was attempting to catch.

Letha Walker and Rebecca J. Taylor were arraigned in the Police Court, yesterday, charged with keeping a disorderly house. They were let off on promise of better behavior in future.

Gen. T. D. Sedgwick, whose mysterious disappearance was announced in the papers a short time since, has returned to his home and residence in Louisville, as we are informed by a gentleman who saw him on Monday.

George W. Bottorf, of Charlestown, Clark county, and Edward W. Stevens, Jr., of this city, yesterday filed their petitions in the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court, in this city, to be adjudged bankrupts.

The managers of the Good Templars' picnic, to be given at the Fair Grounds next Monday, have made ample preparations to make it a success. Music, dancing, and other amusements will be offered to render it a place of enjoyment.

P. A. Hicks, John Krause, Cincinnati; J. M. Andrew, Paoli; J. R. Terhune, New York; F. F. Smith and lady, Indianapolis; John Meindodt, A. Nelson, Peter, Farmer Hanbery, Indiana, were registered at the DePauw House yesterday.

A valuable horse, belonging to Mr. Thomas Fleming, fell dead in the shafts yesterday afternoon while being driven by a couple of young men from the picnic at Wells' school-house. It is supposed his death was caused by the excessive heat.

The following officers of the German Order Steuben Grove No. 6, United Ancient Order of Druids, will be installed Thursday night, August 3d: Charles Reickmeyer, N. A.; Joseph Reibel, A.; Peter Schmidt, Secretary, and F. Kiesling, Treasurer.

The following officers of the American Order Pioneer Grove No. 19, United Ancient Order of Druids, will be duly installed next Friday night: Henry, N. A.; Jacob D. Under, A.; Samuel Grigsy, Secretary; James R. Beggs, Treasurer; George S. Marsh, Inside Sentinel.

Mr. Ferdinand Graham was presented with an elegant gold-headed cane Monday night by Joseph McGinn, Bernard McCartin, Condnctor Hanlon and Brakeman Hanlon, as a token of liberality in allowing them and St. Patrick's Benevolent Society the free use of Graham's Grove on the Fourth of July.

The following gentlemen were elected officers of Enterprise Lodge No. 80, Independent Order of Good Templars, on Monday night: A. Mrs. Elizabeth Rowley, W. C. T.; Miss Rhoda Ann Bradford, W. S.; F. C. Hoskins, W. F. S.; Miss Mary Hanlon, W. T.; Miss Mary A. Miss Caddie Gordon, W. I. S.; R. H. Maxwell, W. O. S.; W. B. Blackwell, W. C.; Miss Maggie Hanlon, W. M.; Miss Maggie Jackson, W. D. M.; Miss Alice Roney, W. R. S. H., and Mrs. J. A. Kraft, W. L. H. S.

At a regular meeting of the trustees of Depauw University, at Asbury College, held on Rev. Erastus Rowley, D. D., who has been president of this institution for the last five yea s, at the earnest request of the patrons and friends of the college withdrew his resignation and was unanimously elected its president. This election will please the citizens of New Albany and the numerous patrons of the college throughout the State; for it is well known that the success of the college for the past year has been mainly owing to the skill, ability and experience of Dr. Rowley. At the same meeting Mrs. H. Gifford was elected professor of the music department. This selection will give general satisfaction, as Mrs. Gifford is a graduation of being the finest performer on the piano in the city, and is known to be a most thorough and successful instructor. Mrs. Gifford's experienced corps of teachers in the literary department has also been secured. The next session of the college will open with increased prospects of success, on Tuesday the 5th day of September next.

☞ The United States produces more grain, in proportion to the population, than any country in the world. According to the census returns for 1870, wheat was found produced at the rate of 7.3 bushels to each person. In the census of 1850, the United States produced 36.3 bushels for each person then in the country. Roumania, with a population slightly less than that of Illinois, produces 25 bushels to each person, being the second in the ratio of production. European Russia stands third, producing 23.1 bushel to each person.

☞ There is a farmer in Sullivan county, Indiana, who rejoices in the possession of a pig with nine feet, who is now fat, and weighing 600 pounds. What will he weigh when fattened—and how many tons of corn will it take to fatten him?

☞ New York cigar stores now project the figure of a young gentleman in a dressing-gown, with blonde side whiskers. This has crowded out the traditional Indian, negro, girl of the period, and Gen. Grant.

☞ The Great Council (legislature) of the Sw ia Cantons of Geneva has abolished punishment by 47 against 10 votes.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE COURIER-JOURNAL, TUESDAY EVENING, August 1.

So little change is noticeable in the money market that we could correctly chronicle the affairs of finance by duplicating the report of yesterday. Every one is easy on the money question, and very beautiful resting he head on the shoulders of her supposed mother. Then two men, one of them afterward recognized as Prof. Pierre Chemeviere, a teacher of French and modern languages, lives at 371 Degraw street, Brooklyn; and more men and women, none of whom had yet been identified. They were 18 in number.

In the dead-house adjoining and in the courtyard were rows and rows of rough pinecoffins; some containing those drowned or killed on the spot, others those who had died in the hospitals and who, when stripped of their clothes, presented a sickening spectacle. In this court-yard a man appeared with a small bundle in his arms, and said, "Here's another poor little fellow." A man sprang forward, crying, "Let me look at it;" he groaned, as though his heart would burst, and turning to the hospital man, said: "May I take her away?" He replied the man; "in a few minutes," replied the man; "I'm very sorry, but you can't take her away to-night." The poor fellow wept like a child, saying: "Perhaps I'd better not. It might kill her mother in her present state." The mother, too, was terribly scalded.

And so the scene went on till 39 corpses were collected in that narrow building and courtyard. Nelson and a Mr. West of Brooklyn came in. Mr. Nelson was looking for a wife and child. Mr. West had one child dead in the Morgue, one dead at home, and a child lying dying. A Mr. Uhlmann recognized the bodies of his father and brother-in-law. Out of the eight composing their party, five are missing. The scene was heartrending—no loud lamentations, but deep, unspeakable sorrow. To all such Mr. Brennan, his brother, the doctors, and Capt. Byrnes were uncessantly kind and considerate. Many a poor, half-fainting victim was restored to self-possession by the kindly words of these gentlemen, and, when necessary, by the stimulants and reviving essences upon hand to administer to them. Many a poor soul left the ill-omened building encouraged with a word of hope, cheer, and consolation at their hands.

The Beach Murder—Fore's Case to be Taken Up on the 11th.

[From the St. Louis Times, Aug. 1.]

A warrant was yesterday issued in the Court of Criminal Correction for the delivery of Joseph H. Fore to the county jail. The document sets forth that the sex was deme felonously, willfully, deliberately and premeditatedly, with malice aforethought. A charge of murder in the first degree has been entered by the coroner, the witnesses subpenaed being Dr. Dudley, Mrs. Beach, and Mrs. Fore. One of the most unmerciful and distressed condition of the lady witnesses, the preliminary examination before the Court of Criminal Correction has been put

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 2, '71.

To Absentees.

Persons leaving the city during the summer, and who wish to keep posted with the news here, can have the COURIER-JOURNAL sent them any required time at the rate of $1 per month, by leaving their orders at our counting-room.

Alfred T. Pope,

Democratic nominee for the Senate, will address his fellow-citizens at the following times and places:

At the corner of Hancock and Madison, Wednesday, August 2d.

At the corner of Clay and Green, Thursday, August 3d.

At Turner Hall, Friday, August 4th.

Speaking to commence at 8 o'clock P. M.

Gov. P. H. Leslie,

Democratic candidate for Governor, will address his fellow-citizens as follows:

Morgantown, Thursday, August 3.

Litchfield, Friday, August 4.

Elizabethtown, Saturday, August 5.

Hon. John G. Carlisle,

Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, will address his fellow-citizens at the following places:

Bedford, Thursday, August 3.

At Louisville on the nights of the 4th and 5th days of August at such points as may be designated.

Speaking elsewhere to commence at 1½ o'clock P. M.

Hon. Geo. M. Thomas, Republican candidate, is invited to attend.

The Ku-klux Report.

There are two sides to the Ku-klux story. Congressman Van Trump, one of the ablest men on the committee, and who was of the party who went to South Carolina, gives a plain and plausible statement of the dishonest manner in which the testimony was procured. He makes out a clear case. The sub-committee was sent to find Radical capital, and its report published several days ago surprised nobody. The manner in which the evidence was procured is an outrage upon the American people. No one who reads Mr. Van Trump's statement can doubt this. It was a nasty affair.

PERSONAL.

Gen. Eli H. Murray yesterday returned from an extensive campaign through Daviess, Meade, Hancock and Muhlenburg counties, in which he made a number of speeches. At Owensboro, his old home, Gen. Murray spoke to one of the largest audiences that had assembled there for years.

Dr. Wm. H. Mitchell, Florence, Ala.; C. G. Foster, Kansas City; Gen. B. H. Robertson, Va.; H. M. McKee, Arkansas; T. T. Chambers, Covington; H. S. Robinson, St. Louis; G. W. Pitkin, Chicago; Hart Gibson, Lexington; C. A. L. Butler, Chicago; Thos. E. Tutt, St. Louis; R. M. Bishop, Cincinnati; P. Barbour, Maysville; A. V. Davis, Natchez; Geo. A. Hynes, St. Louis; J. V. Logan, Harrodsburg; J. T. Prescott, Cincinnati; and W. H. Herron, Columbus, Ind., were among the arrivals at the Galt House yesterday.

Alonzo Orendorf, Esq., Russellville, Ky.; Capt. James Ostrand and Capt. Wm. Phillips, New Orleans, La.; P. McGuire, Esq., Ky.; Capt. Lew Kates, Cincinnati; Otho; T. L. Mandeville, Esq., Chicago, Ill.; J. A. Batchelor, Esq., St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. and Miss Stewart, Shelbyville, Ky.; A. Lapping and P. E. Bergh, Cincinnati, Ohio; Alonzo Moorman, Jefferson county, Ky.; J. H. Ball and lady, Danville, Ky.; Col. L. Mooreman, Cloverport, Ky.; Frank L. Hall, Owensboro; H. Francis, Cincinnati; J. Hop Edwards, Greensburg, Ky.; Col. Alf Allen, Ky.; T. B. Bipsy, Ky.; Col. Robt. C. Harris, Harris House, Lebanon, Ky., and J. Wasson and lady, Robinson, Ill., were registered at the National Hotel last night.

Col. D. C. Topp, Mississippi; James Crawford, Stephensport, Ky.; B. Hill, Henderson; Geo. H. Hill, Henderson; W. W. Shelby, Henderson; Mrs. McCormick, Henderson; W. F. Browden, Russellville; Mrs. Wm. Starret, Hawesville; Hd. A. Prior, Baltimore; E. Beale and wife, Montgomery, Ala.; W. T. Edwards, Texas; Col. A. B. Hubbard, Indianapolis; Geo. T. Beatty, Henderson: Capt. E. B. Trinidad, Attakapas, La.; Dr. J. G. Mestayer, Attakapas, La.; Nixon Moon, New York; S. C. Wing, Owensboro; David Orr, Owensboro; Judge Alexander, Brandenburg; H. J. Cheney, Nashville; E. Gallup, O. and M. B. R., Cincinnati, and J. D. Chadwick, Huntsville, are registered at the Louisville Hotel.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Orpheus Concert.

The Orpheus Singing Society will give one of their delightful concerts at Floral Park next Friday evening. The programme of entertainment is an unusually fine one, and, judging from the reputation of this excellent organization, the concert cannot fail to prove attractive and bring to the park a large audience.

Grand Fancy Ball at Grayson Springs.

The guests at Grayson Springs, now some three hundred in number and comprising the very cream of Kentucky and Southern society, have, after discussing the matter several days, determined to get up a grand fancy dress and masquerade ball. Friday evening, the 11th inst., has been named as the time, and already a pleasant excitement exists at the springs in anticipation of the important event. The most extensive preparations are already in progress and the acknowledged taste and skill of those who originated the affair, backed by the energy and liberality of the Messrs. Vanmeter, give assurance that it will be the grandest since the war. Of course all the brilliant belles and gallant beaux of the State will make their arrangements to be at Grayson.

An Eccentric Couple.

There live between Louisville and Portland, and not far from the latter place, a man and wife who have been married over thirty years. This couple have no children, and, both being possessed of high tempers, every month or so they have a fall out, which ends in a war of threatening words. The husband, who was a soldier in the late war, brought home with him, as the expression of his service, a tent. On the occasion of their quarrels his wife has taken to his tent and a frying-pan, with provisions, and gone off to camp out. In the course of a few days his wife becomes impatient at his absence, and starts in search of him. By the use of that persuasive eloquence the female sex know how to employ, she never fails to induce the return of her lord and master, and for several weeks thereafter the couple are as loving in their demeanor toward each other as a newly wedded pair. This honeymoon season, however, does not continue long, as the inevitable quarrel comes around as regular as the seasons.

Base Ball.

The game between the Eagles, Jr., and the Eckfords, at Cedar Hill yesterday, resulted in favor of the Eckfords after a game of seven innings. This is the first game the Eagles, Jr., have played for over a month, and with their full nine and a few days' practice they feel confident of their ability to beat the Eckfords or any other junior club in this section. Below we give the score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T.
Eckfords	2	4	3	0	6	10	3	28
Eagles, Jr.	2	3	3	1	0	2	1	11

We understand there is some talk of consolidating the Eagles, Jr., with the Eurekas. If such should prove to be the case, a nine may be composed that would give sport to the Kentucky and other neighboring clubs.

A Negro Fracas.

Information was lodged at the First-street station yesterday that on Tuesday morning, about 3 o'clock, a negro named Bob Churchill had knocked down and robbed another negro named Chamberlain of $35. The two had been to a picnic at Hanaser Garden, near Cave Hill, Monday, were returning together, and, when at the corner of Floyd and Green, the robbery as above was said to have occurred. Last night, Officer Corcoran arrested Churchill in the barroom of Early Smith, on Green, between Third and Fourth, and, on Smith attempting to obstruct the arrest, also took him in charge. Smith says that Churchill was employed by him as a bar-keeper, and he thought he had a right to protect him. Smith was subsequently bailed out.

Crazy Over Perpetual Motion.

From time immemorial perpetual motion has engaged the attention of mankind. Among intelligent men, of course, the idea of perpetual motion is utterly discarded. Yet every few months we read accounts of parties, after having labored for years, succeeding in accomplishing the great disideratum. A young man by the name of John W. Gunn, from Brunerstown, this State, has for years past devoted his time and attention to this object. John did not succeed, but allowed the subject to so engross his mind that he is at present a raving lunatic, confined in the jail in this city. He is a fine-looking young fellow, but crazy as he well can be. He will be sent to the lunatic asylum as soon as there is room for him.

Political.

Maj. Samuel Larkins, a good man, is a candidate for the Legislature in Trigg county, in opposition to McKenzie, an ultra Bourbon, who is, besides his objectionable politics, charged with having been a defaulter of the school fund of his county. No Democratic convention has been held, and the fight is a free one. The voters of Trigg county, we should think, could not hesitate as to a choice between an honest man and a defaulter.

The Speaking To-night.

Hon. Alfred T. Pope fast night addressed a large crowd at the corner of Preston and Market streets, discussing substantially the same topics as before published. He speaks to-night at Jake Cas's, on the corner of Hancock and Madison. Hon. Isaac Caldwell and Hon. T. L. Burnett speak to-night at the Court-house, and Hon. B. J. Webb and Mr. Frank McGuire at Fourteenth and Duncan streets.

HEARTRENDING AFFAIR.

Drowning of a Little Child at the River Last Night.

A Drunken Father and Frantic Mother.

A more pitiful sight than may be often seen was witnessed in the First-street station-house last night. It appears that a man named Robert Ramsey started in a skiff from Parkersburg, W. Va., a couple of weeks ago, having on board his wife and two children, the one a boy about five years of age and the other an infant in arms. He reached this city yesterday, and landing, went up town, where it is supposed he drank whisky until incapable of rational action. About nine o'clock last night he started out in the river again, and when some two hundred yards from the shore, just at the ferry dock, he ran the skiff against a coal barge, staving in the whole front. The boat filled and sank almost immediately, and the four were precipitated into the water. A party of young men were in bathing near by at the time, and one of them, George L. Shephard, living at 32 Market street, bravely went to their rescue. He shoved a skiff off of the barge toward the drowning party and then plunged in after them. The woman had both children in her arms, but, as she seized the side of the skiff, the boy slipped from her grasp and was drowned. She and her child were then brought to shore, which the husband reached a few minutes after.

Ramsey was arrested by Lieut. Sinkhorn and Officer Fritz, his wife and the infant put in a hack and taken to the First-street station. Her agony was terrible in its intensity. But a small woman, it took all the strength of an officer to hold her as she writhed in the extremity of her grief, and after she was placed in a cell she threw herself on the floor, beat her breast, called in the most terrible manner upon her God to help her in her anguish, to bring back to her her lost boy, to kill her—anything that would return to her her darling son. It was a fearful sight; enough to bring tears to the most callous eye and a shudder to the strongest frame. Her shrieks and her moans were constant until a late hour, when, worn out by the frenzy of her agony, she sank down in utter exhaustion.

In the next cell was her husband, stolid and protesting his innocence of any guilt—the fumes of the whisky still on his breath. The young men in bathing, as above, saw, by the bright moonlight, the skiff part of the shore, and just before the accident heard him say, "I have run afoul many a snag in my life," to which his wife responded, "If you run against anything now you will go to hell and I to Heaven." A monumentous and the two, with their helpless children, were in the water, and, when struggling for life, with the husband was heard to curse his wife for crippling his efforts to reach the shore. A reporter visited him in his cell and learned the particulars of the accident partly as above. Ramsey, however, stated to him that he had brought the children to shore himself; but the evidence of the young men otherwise is explicit. The babe was put in the cell with its father, and echoed with its puny wailings the agonized shrieks of the mother. A dozen all the money found in the man's possession, and if he had other property it went down with the skiff. The pair were poorly clad, and evidently belonged to the poorer classes. The whole scene was heartrending and an awe-struck crowd was around the station until a late hour, until the fearful agony of the mother had an end only when prostration came to her relief.

TRADE COMPETITION.

An Awning Feud Between Two Market-Street Shoe Men.

Quite an interesting suit was tried, before Esquire Lincoln yesterday afternoon, as tending to show the spirit engendered by competition in trade. Two merchants, of the Hebrew persuasion, both retail dealers in boots and shoes, occupy adjoining buildings on Market, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The one in the room nearest Fourth street has an awning, that obscures from the gaze of pedestrians on Fourth street the sign which the other conspicuously displays for the attraction of customers. This awning has been an eyesore to the one living farthest from Fourth street, and has proven a bone of contention between these two neighboring merchants, who should have obeyed the Scriptural injunction, "Love ye one another."

Now, our city fathers have a law preventing the erection of any more awnings within the city limits after May, 1871. But during June the awning to which we allude was one night torn down, or, at least, a portion of it. The owner had it repaired and replaced again. Soon after, he was arrested for violating the city ordinance relating to awnings, and a neighbor was one of the principal witness against him. He was, however, acquitted, and soon after discovered, or thought he discovered, a "nigger on the woodpile." Putting this and that together, the injured party gained sufficient circumstantial evidence to warrant him in bringing suit against his neighbor for one hundred dollars' damages for destroying the awning.

The line of evidence, as developed at the trial, went to show that the merchant, annoyed by this awning, had hired a vagabond character by the name of George Reese to destroy the awning, giving him a consideration therefor. The deposition of Reese (a man who has been one of the work-house) was read, setting forth that he had been promised liberal payment for doing his work, but that, when once accomplished, he did not receive the amount promised. These Reese's indignation, and developments resulting in the trial. Reese, in his deposition, made a full confession of the part he had taken in destroying the awning. A brother of his, who was present as a witness, also testified to the same effect. Quite a large array of witnesses were brought up and examined, the defendant endeavoring to prove that Reese, from the reputation he bore, could not be believed on oath. Some pretty rich things were developed, showing that Reese, in addition to having been sent to the work-house as a common vagrant, had at one time been arrested for horse stealing. The case was tried by jury; the counsel each indulged in rhetorical efforts, when the matter was submitted. The jury were out for sometime, and had not retured a verdict at sunset.

REV. MR. REA.

The Distinguished Fallen at His Old Tricks in Jeffersonville.

An account was published in this paper, a few days since, of the drunken exploits of one Rev. Francis Rea, a quondam Presbyterian clergyman at Greenboro, Ohio, who was arrested for drunkenness in this city last week, lodged in jail, but after a trial the next morning was discharged. It appears that he had been practicing the same imposition across the river in Jeffersonville, and to have approached several persons with requests for assistance, representing himself variously as a Presbyterian and Episcopalian clergyman and a member of the Masonic Order. Among others, he endeavored to make the acquaintance of Mr. W. H. Fogg, Cashier of the First National Bank in that city, and Mr. S. S. Johnson, both Masons. The Rev. Rea represented himself to be a Mason in good standing, and required assistance from the brethren to enable him to get to some distant point. He showed some flattering letters of recommendation from prominent Masons in New Albany and others, representing him to be a worthy brother of the Presbyterian Church and preacher of that faith. A letter of the Rev. Dr. Thomas, well known in Jeffersonville, was most plausible and calculated to deceive. One of the New Albany letters certified that the bearer, the Rev. Francis Rea, was a worthy member and minister of the Presbyterian Church, and the other that he was a good Mason, and not a "patient beggar," and certifying that he had received in the shape of charity in that city the sum of $8. Messrs. Johnson and Fogg took him in a strict examination, and, believing him to be an imposter, as a matter of course, refused the assistance asked for until they were better satisfied that the applicant was really what he professed to be. Mr. Johnson, but a short time afterwards, remembered to have read in the COURIER-JOURNAL an account of a Reverend Somebody getting drunk in Louisville, and playing about the same game as he was attempting in Jeffersonville. Being satisfied that the party was identical with the one spoken of in the paper, he confronted the imposter with the report of his doings in Louisville. He did not deny but that he was the person alluded to, but declared the whole publication to be false. He all any rate got no assistance from the Masons, and sought other fields for operation. He was not long in striking Dr. J. W. Barker, who, in an instant, discovered that the would-be clergyman of the Episcopal faith, as he then styled himself, was an arrant imposter. The fumes of whisky from the breath of the reverend intoxicated were plainly evident, and Dr. Barker politely told him what he believed him to be. The Rev. Dr. then asked for a small amount with which to get a drink, but which request Dr. Barker refused.

Hon. D. W. Voorhees.

A dispatch was received by Mr. Chas. R. Long, Secretary of the Democratic Executive Committee, last night, from the Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees, stating that he with Attorney General Hanna would arrive in Louisville on Saturday morning, the 5th inst. Mr. Voorhees with Hon. J. Proctor Knott, Hon. John G. Carlisle, and C. W. Habersein are announced to speak at different points in this city on Saturday night.

The Fire this Morning.

At three o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in the carpenter shop of E. L. Gambrell, on Bullitt street, between Main and the river. The flames spread rapidly, and before the engines could get to the spot had possession of the building. The loss will hardly reach $4,000, though a large lot of fine lumber was destroyed. The store of William Skene, on the south side, and the Hawkins mustard factory, on the north side, barely escaped.

☞ Michigan editors have grown wealthy on account of the sentimental poetry they have received since the advent of Mr. Carleton. The paper is always of the best linen, cream-laid, and brings six cents per pound. The waste-basket trade is brisk.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE STEAMER Sim Watkins No. 3 was out last night pumping water into a sewer for the purpose of settling it.

A RIOT occurred on the river near Fifth street last night between two Irishmen. One of them had to be carried home on a shutter.

THE BOY Albert Lambert, charged with stealing one dollar from Joseph Swartz, was quite sick yesterday, and unable to appear in court.

JOHN BEARHARDT, a German boy, twelve years of age, was arrested yesterday, and placed in the First-street station, for disorderly conduct and running away from home.

THE THERMOMETER yesterday, as observed by Messrs. Cook and Sloss, was at 73 degrees at 7 o'clock; at 87 at 10; 96 at noon; 99 at 2 P. M.; 91 at 4, and 80 at 6 o'clock in the evening.

AT THE DEPOT, corner of Broadway and Ninth streets, yesterday, one boy threw a stone at another, hitting him on the head and making quite a gash, from which the blood flowed very freely.

THREE young men, old enough to know better, for being drunk and disorderly, throwing rocks, etc., were yesterday arraigned before his Honor, Judge Price, admonished as to the future, and fined ten dollars each.

SAM BUCHANAN and wife, Julia Rethridge, for disturbing the good order of the neighborhood of Jackson and Jefferson streets, were in the City-station station yesterday. Mrs. B. was subsequently bailed out.

THE statement published in yesterday's issue of one of the morning papers relative to an affray at Paroquet, the night of the late ball, was totally incorrect, both in the incidents of the affair itself and in its anticipated result.

A COLORED WOMAN named Jane Jackson left her home on Jefferson street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, last Sunday, to go to church, and has not returned since. She was sober and industrious, and her absence cannot be explained.

THE BODY of a man named W. H. Russes was found in the river near the cut-off yesterday afternoon, and, a coroner's jury being impaneled, a verdict of accidental drowning was returned. Russes was employed in the planing-mill of Mr. Bach, on Fulton and Cabol streets.

THE DEMOCRATIC MEETING last night, on Jefferson, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, was well attended and very enthusiastic. The meeting was a very successful one in every particular. Speeches were made in both the English and German languages.

TWO COLORED GENTLEMEN engaged in a pugilistic encounter on Fourteenth street last evening, and after disfiguring each other's countenances, were both arrested and conveyed to station-house No. 3. Each found friends, however, and were released on bail.

WE LEARN that the shooting match between Captain Dave Neady, of this city, and Mr. John Brooks, of Nashville, has been arranged, and the match will take place at the race course at Nashville, on Friday, August 11, for a purse of $400. Some fine shooting may be expected, as both gentlemen are proficients in the art.

THE soldier Smith, charged with stealing a suit of clothes from a fellow soldier, and selling the same, was yesterday brought before the Police Court. The theft was established against him by ample testimony, when he was bound over to appear for trial at the September term.

LINSKY, who stabbed Mulenany, an account of which was given Sunday last, was yesterday brought before Judge Price at the Police Court. Dr. Blackburn having testified that Mulcuny was in a fair way of recovery, Linsky was permitted to enter bonds for $1,000 to appear at the September term of the Circuit Court.

THERE is at present two lunatics in the city jail. The general impression is, with those who visit the jail, that the inmates, if not lunatics when confined, need only be kept there for a short time and they will be fit subjects for an insane asylum. The cells are narrow, damp, dirty, and poorly ventilated, and there is a constant impure air emanating almost to a stench.

JAMES MAYBERRY, who was charged with stealing clothing from Bishop McClosky (the name of Cesaar Lambretto was afterward substituted for that of Bishop McClosky), was yesterday morning arraigned before his honor Judge Price. The theft having been clearly established, Masterdon was sentenced to $25 fine and forty-five days' imprisonment in the city jail.

HARLAN LAST NIGHT.

His Speech at Woodland Garden.

Probably a thousand or more persons, composed of the most part of Republicans, white and colored, assembled at Woodland Garden last night for Gen. Harlan's speech. The General commenced by asserting that the freedom of citizenship and the suffrage of the colored race were the irrevocable results of the war, beyond the power of any party in this country to disturb; that Democracy was a solid phalanx against any movement or agitation for the purpose of overturning the results of the war, as embodied in the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments; that the attempt of Gov. Leslie and his colleagues to form a political organization in Kentucky based on such agitation was a nonsense mischievous and dangerous, and if successful would bring ruin upon the material prosperity of the State, for such agitation here would only indicate to the world that Kentucky was still hanging on to dead issues of the past.

The policy of the Democratic leaders of Kentucky had already had the effect to stop immigration and prevent capital from coming into our midst. This continued agitation in opposition to the settled conviction of almost the entire country could have no other effect, even if successful, than to isolate this State from the balance of the nation. What Kentucky needed was peace, a real, genuine peace, which would disconnect us from the war and all the results of the war. In that event only could we hope to see a proper development of all the resources of the State.

General Harlan here exhonorated the officers and soldiers of the Confederate army from all desire to keep up this agitation, but charged the responsibility for the same upon those leaders who, during the war, were Union men or secessionists, as the soldiers of the one army or the other might be in their vicinity. He then referred to the despotization of many parts of the State, and the decrease in value of farm lands, as some of the evidences of this sectional and ruinous policy. The former plea, that we were as brothers, and that the North and the South shall sit down in peace and prosperity, I indorse the resolutions lately passed by the Democracy of Ohio at the suggestion of the lamented Vallandigham, and I say,

As for the subject of negro testimony, the fiat has gone forth from Washington that negroes be allowed at all times and everywhere in these United States the same duty to testify before courts that is expected of the free white man. I will not take occasion to say that I oppose the negro policy of our Government so long as the feeble opposition of one man did any good.

In conclusion, fellow-citizens, if I am your choice for next Representative I sacredly and honestly pledge you my best efforts to serve you, and refer you to my record whilst I was your Representative a few years ago.

Respectfully, SAMUEL LARKINS.

CITY FEATURES.

☞ J. M. Armstrong, the popular clothier, 139 Main street, is now offering his summer stock of Men's, Boys' and Youths' clothing at a reduction.

New Goods

at the Universal Exposition every day from now until the close of the fall season—68 Fourth street.

TAKE AS A PREVENTIVE.

The Reason of its Superiority Over All Other Chill Remedies.

Wintersmith's Tonic Sirup or Improved Chill Cure is not only an ante-periodic, but acts upon the liver also, so that in cases where persons are bilious, as indicated by sallow complexions, loss of appetite, &c., generally followed by chills and fever, or in higher latitudes or in more exposed situations by continued or intermitting fever, the use of this tonic for a few days will entirely remove these symptoms, and show evidence of its efficacy by restoring the normal clearness of the complexion, and in an increased appetite and a restored healthy action of the secretory organs. This is really the great advantage this tonic possesses over the so-called tonics now in use, the best of which are but anti-periodics, and whilst they may break the chill, they do not remove the cause of the disease, but leave the system in as bad or in a worse condition than when first taken. The use of this medicine is therefore indicated in cases where persons are exposed to miasmatic influences, and is valuable in warding off attacks of bilious and other fevers as in curing chills and fevers. By the use of chlorine or carbolic acid in the sleeping chambers, and a proper use of Wintersmith's Tonic Sirup as indicated by the symptoms, a person may live and enjoy good health in the most malarious districts.

☞ Buff Sun Umbrellas, at J. M. Armstrong's.

New Styles

of French and Turkish jewelry at the Universal Exposition.

☞ Hazard & Caswell's Cod Liver Oil is the purest, sweetest and best in the world. Physicians have decided it superior to any other Cod Liver Oil in the market. Patients who have once taken it can take no other.

New Linens

and towels at the Universal Exposition, 68 Fourth street.

Economy.

By using Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup for children many a doctor's bill can be saved and much suffering averted. Read the advertisement in another column.

☞ New York Mills Shirts at $3 75 each, at J. M. Armstrong's.

Testimony of L. O. Shenault, a Prominent Merchant of Baldwin, Miss.

LOUISVILLE HOTEL, Oct., 1870.

DR. C. H. WINTERSMITH—Dear Sir: I arrived here on the 28th September, from Baldwin, Miss., quite feeble, having had continued chills for five months previous. During that period I made use of several remedies, but with only temporary effect. The use of only one bottle of your valuable Chill Tonic has relieved me entirely. I am now a sound, healthy man, and take great pleasure in recommending your valuable Tonic to the afflicted.

Truly your friend,
L. O. SHENAULT.

☞ Light Overcoats and Traveling Shawls at J. M. Armstrong's.

Chills! Chills!

This is the season for fever and ague. Wintersmith's Tonic Sirup is a certain cure. Read certificates in another column.

THE GERMAN TEACHERS.

Proceedings of the National Convention at Cincinnati Yesterday.

Important Matters.

[Reported expressly for the Courier-Journal.]

The convention was opened Monday, July 31, at 5 o'clock P. M., at the Turner Hall. Mr. Borgmann, of the public schools of Cincinnati, welcomed the association in the name of the teachers of Cincinnati. He remarked that the convention had hard work before it; that the eyes of all educators and friends of education in this country, as well as also those of our old fatherland, were directed toward us and toward our labor. He hoped that the convention would fully carry out all its intentions.

A temporary chairman was proposed for the preliminary meeting; when, on motion, Mr. Steffers, of Annapolis, was elected as chairman and Dr. Douai as secretary. Mr. Soldan, chairman of the central committee, read his yearly report. He stated that the committee had monthly, and had several called meetings. The results of these meetings were published in the different numbers of the school paper, published in Louisville by Henry Knoefel. At the last convention the association numbered 116 members. During the year 75 members were admitted, so that the whole number of members amounts at present to 195. The general meeting had communications to the school paper, wrote, during the year, 719 letters in behalf of the association. The constitution as reported by the central committee, was then adopted, with the exception of article first, which was amended as follows:

The German-American Teachers' Association intends, firstly, to take care of the German language and literature, in addition to the English, and to introduce a gradually-developing manner of instruction according to German pedagogery; secondly, to educate the youths of the United States as citizens worthy of this our free country, and, thirdly, to attend to the interest of the German teachers of America, that their social enlightenment and to their material interest.

The expression "German" pedagogery may perhaps not be understood. The correspondent adds the following explanation: The American national and State life can and shall not be ignored; no German custom shall be substituted. On the contrary, the German shall be made a good American citizen. But such an education shall be attained by referring to the German method of instruction in opposition to the existing American one, and what is this method? It is the one which gave birth to the spirit of inquiry that has made German science range among the first one of the world. It is thorough, for the child's mind has to work, while only memory is required by the American method. The former develops, while the latter is making work; the former goes gradually from easy things to harder ones, from simple to the more complicated; the latter goes only goes according to the book. The German method requires the development of all the faculties of mind; with the American one it all depends on the amount of the articles learned. These principles of the German and the American method cannot be denied by any one who himself has received an education to be able to judge. That by this method the memory much ignorance prevails, is the fault of thousands of other causes, but can surely not be attributed to the German method of instruction.

After the adoption of the constitution the meeting went to the election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

President, Peter Engelmann, of Milwaukee; Vice-President, G. H. Sander, of Cincinnati; Secretary, Theodore Thurm, of Brooklyn; Assistant Secretaries, Wm. Deutch, of St. Louis, Wm. Mueller, of Louisville.

The preliminary meeting then adjourned to meet again at Woodward High School, on Tuesday, August 1, at 9 o'clock A. M.

The Orpheus Society, through its secretary, sent an invitation to the delegates to attend the concert given in honor of the teachers at Inwood Park, on Wednesday, August 2d, which invitation was thankfully accepted.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

TUESDAY, August 1.

The Convention was called to order by the President, Mr. Engelmann, of Milwaukee, at precisely nine o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Goldmann, of Cleveland, was requested to put in short-hand writing the proceedings of the Convention, to which he gratuitously readily consented. The following letter of greeting from the city of Hamburg, Germany, was read and received with great applause:

HAMBURG, July 10, 1871.

To the Second German-American Teachers' Convention, in Cincinnati, O.:

ESTEEMED GENTLEMEN—DEAR COLLEAGUES: It afforded me great pleasure when, at the German National Teachers' Conference, held in Dresden last year, I was entrusted with the honorable office to give utterance, in the name of the German teachers, to the hearty wishes, in spite of the asperity of your enterprise, and to our fraternal and respectful appreciation of your aspirations. The war, unfortunately, has broken out and terminated in so glorious a manner for our German arms, as prevented us from holding our Twelfth German Teachers' Convention, in consequence of which I am at this time lacking the express order to send you, as we did before, our best greetings. Still, I could not forbear, convinced, as I am, of the good wishes of all the teachers in Germany, to tell you how fervently your brethren on this side of the ocean desire that your firm endeavors to raise the American schools may be crowned with great success.

You know all the troubles and sacrifices we had to undergo in starting our conventions, and how much of them that consideration which we now enjoy. The ignorance, the narrow-mindedness and wickedness of the counselors of the German Government caused these conventions to be proscribed and prohibited, and among the leaders of the Democratic party were many, themselves feeble, creeping and slavish-minded, or infated and self-adoring men, who would join in the abuses of those low-boned, princely advisers.

But they all could not finally triumph over truth, over justice, over progress, and on a consecrated to the benefit of youth, ay of the human race at large. The German Teachers' Association came forth victorious from hard struggles; many thousands of the German teachers were animated from love for their profession and strengthened in their striving after greater efficiency. You also, dear brothers, will find antagonists of your noble endeavors, but you also will be the victors. It is true, you have not to dread any prohibition of your meetings; but it will require more labor on your part to do away with the opposition of so many a colleague and to unite them to common aspirations. There will be times when you have voices that impute to you impure motives—the voices of those who judge others by themselves. You will also find by your working for the general benefit will not be recognized, because the world too often demands to see palpable and numerically speaking results. Perhaps a hard struggle with the English-American school is waiting for you, since it will be hard for this institution to evolve upon some years, and having done so honestly and moderately, by the solicitation of friends, irrespective of either of the two parties of our country, I now announce myself as an independent farmer candidate, and solicit your suffrages.

I proclaim myself as such, also, upon the good old Jeffersonian platform of merit and qualification, and am in favor of strict economy in both State and National expenses, and we are bad managers as brothers, and that the North and the South shall sit down in peace and prosperity. I indorse the resolutions lately passed by the Democracy of Ohio at the suggestion of the lamented Vallandigham, and I say,

As for the subject of negro testimony, the fiat has gone forth from Washington that negroes be allowed at all times and everywhere in these United States the same duty to testify before courts that is expected of the free white man. I will not take occasion to say that I oppose the negro policy of our Government so long as the feeble opposition of one man did any good.

In conclusion, fellow-citizens, if I am your choice for next Representative I sacredly and honestly pledge you my best efforts to serve you, and refer you to my record whilst I was your Representative a few years ago.

Respectfully, THEO. HOFFMANN.

It was ordered to be spread upon the minutes, and to be answered by the Convention.

The president introduced Mr. Hancock, Superintendent of Public Schools of Cincinnati. The honored gentleman then welcomed the delegates in the name of the School Board. He said Cincinnati felt highly flattered at having the Convention meet in its place. He regretted highly not to be able to understand the proceedings of the Convention, but as he sees there reporters for English papers were present, who would publish the proceedings of this Convention to the whole world, he feels certain that not only the German-American, but also the Anglo-American could derive advantages from this convention. Many Americans are studying German, and get along well. The number of Americans studying German is increasing every-where; many men will take the first opportunity offered to them to become able to converse well in this most important foreign—yea, the second language of the world.

His speech, as well as that of Mr. Webner, a gentleman of twenty years' connection with the school board of Cincinnati, was received with loud applause. The different committees were then appointed, when the president announced that Mr. H. Doerner, of Cincinnati, would deliver his discourse, according to programme. Subject—"The Organization and Superintendence of the Public School System," of which the following is about the main extract:

The public schools, if they shall be in a good condition, need a thorough superintendence. The State, that has to defray the expenses of the schools, ought to have their control. It gives the management of the schools to a board established by laws and commissioning numerous of superintends. The schools can only be managed by thoroughly educated men. The necessary knowledge for managing the schools can only be found with experienced, learned men. Such men, therefore, must have the control of the schools. The State has to care likewise for itself teachers in well-established normal schools. No one ought to instruct at the public schools who has not been examined and received of examiners selected by the State. The examinations for teachers and their certificates are different according to the grade of the schools in which the candidates have to teach. He remarked further that any teacher, after two years' experience, having been re-examined by the committee, shall be handed a certificate for life. No one ought to have the right of being superintendent of a school who cannot show his connection for the length of several years with that class of a school which he is about to superintend.

The teachers are to be elected by the local Board on recommendations of the District Superintendent; their definite election, however, depends on the Board alone. Their promotion, as well as also their dismissal, to be decided by the same body. The Board has to watch the pecuniary interests of the citizens, has possession of the school property, erects buildings, purchases the necessary means of instruction, etc.

Mr. Doerner's discourse was followed by Mr. Klemm, of Cleveland, who delivered a discourse on the subject—"The Instruction of German in the Public Schools of the United States," of which the following is a brief abstract:

The second German-American Teachers' Association considers the introduction of German instruction into the public schools a blessing to the American nation. Therefore, especially because many Americans still oppose its introduction in the schools, it is the duty of the German-American citizens to demand that if they have sufficient employment for a German teacher to have the German language introduced in their schools as a regular branch of study. The Germans, however, never should make this demand in the name of their being Germans, but as qualified citizens of the United States, who ought to have the privilege of assisting in deciding the different branches of instruction. Experience teaches sufficiently that those interests are in America. The instruction of the four lowest classes must combine: *a*, object lessons (exercises of the mind and conversation); *b*, reading; *c*, writing (penmanship and orthography); *d*, translation; *e*, drawing; *f*, singing, etc. In the higher grades composition and grammar to be added. Only in the high school the German instruction reaches its end, it is very necessary to allow for the four lowest grades about one-half of all the time of instruction, for only then the foundation for a thorough teacher can be substantial. In the upper grades and the high schools, one hour's instruction *per diem* will be sufficient. It is very desirable to give an opportunity to children of the Anglo-Americans to participate in the German instruction, but it is quite dangerous to make the study of German obligatory for every child of the school.

This speaker was followed by Mr. A. Schneck, of Detroit, who delivered a discourse on the subject: Education to the True Republicanism. Nothing to do with party distinctions.

The speaker started from the idea that the American Republic is making the first attempt in the entire history of humanity, to build its national life on the foundation of true liberty. Until now the republic allowed its people to be free, but did nothing at all to make them free, and by that it made the greatest mistake that could be made, for to be free is a privilege, but to be free by adapting the real principles of Republicanism to the entire system of education. Every cent spent in any other direction is lost to the Republic. A moral education in all directions is the most essential condition for the existence of a republic, but in America these moral educations must be based on the principles of real liberty. Real liberty is self-control, self-constraint, in general the conscious and cool self-ward, ready to have in all private and public dealings regards for the well-founded interests of others and the whole society.

The Convention adjourned at 9 o'clock.

The following is a list of the delegates, as far as registered:

Fried. Peter Schroeder, Cleveland.
David Gehring, Jeffersville.
Peter Engelmann, Milwaukee.
Johann Goebel, Cincinnati.
Henry Geusmar, Cincinnati.
William Deutsch, St. Louis.
Ludwig Klemmon, Cleveland.
Francis Berg, St. Louis.
Hugo Witter, St. Louis.
Dr. Douai, Newark.
Dr. Feldner, Detroit.
William Steffen, Annapolis.
Ludw. Soldan, St. Louis.
Wm. Rosenkampel, St. Louis.
—Lueken, St. Louis.
Caroline Dorn, St. Louis.
Nora Dorn, St. Louis.
Amelia Vogel, St. Louis.
Mrs. N. Nowakowski, St. Louis.
Helena Mohrhardt, St. Louis.
Mary Kresselbach, St. Louis.
Fanny Oesterreicher, St. Louis.
W. N. Hailman, Louisville.
Emil Felgenhaufa, Belleville.
Jacob Fischer, Elisabethtown.
William Mueller, Evansville.
Arnold Speiser, Cincinnati.
Aug. Wetterstroth, Cincinnati.
Aug. Nichaus, Detroit.
Matt. Mueller, Louisville.
John Schmidt, Cincinnati.
I. L. Zeins, Cincinnati.
Ana Reiss, Cincinnati.
Joseph Troll, Belleville.
Ferd. Soehner, Hamilton.
Carl Rendreicher, Kennel, Ind.
Rosa D. Kronenberg, Cincinnati.
Emma Schafer, Cincinnati.
Carl Knorts, Cincinnati.
August Roth, Cincinnati.
Henry Raad, Belleville.
Rinaldo Knauer, Xenia.
Heinrich Danze, Cincinnati.
Joseph Schrenk, New York.
Arthur Forbrugger, Cincinnati.
Elise Elwang, Louisville.
Olga Koehler, Louisville.
Eliza Schenck, Louisville.
Hedwig Wittgenstein, Louisville.
Eliza Vidahla, Louisville.
Mary Parslick, Louisville.
Mrs. Christ Waxmuth, Cincinnati.
Carl Graf, Cincinnati.
Nic. Matzenbacher, Cincinnati.
Hans Lehman, Newport.
Gust. Borgmann, Dayton.
Alex. Forbes, Cleveland.
Maria Duerst, Dayton.
Maria McClintock, Chicago.
Herman Waldeman, Cleveland.
Christian Eurich, Xenia.
Louis Grasser,